

# For Further Information

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### **FS Nez Perce Trail Office**

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### **Mormon Trails Association**

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<<http://www.indirect.com/www/crockett/index.html/>>

### **Natchez Trace NST**

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### **Natchez Trace Trail Conference, Inc.**

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### **National Frontier Trails Center**

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### **NPS Appalachian National Scenic Trail Office**

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### **NPS Long-Distance Trails Office—Madison**

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### **Nez Perce National Historic Trail Foundation**

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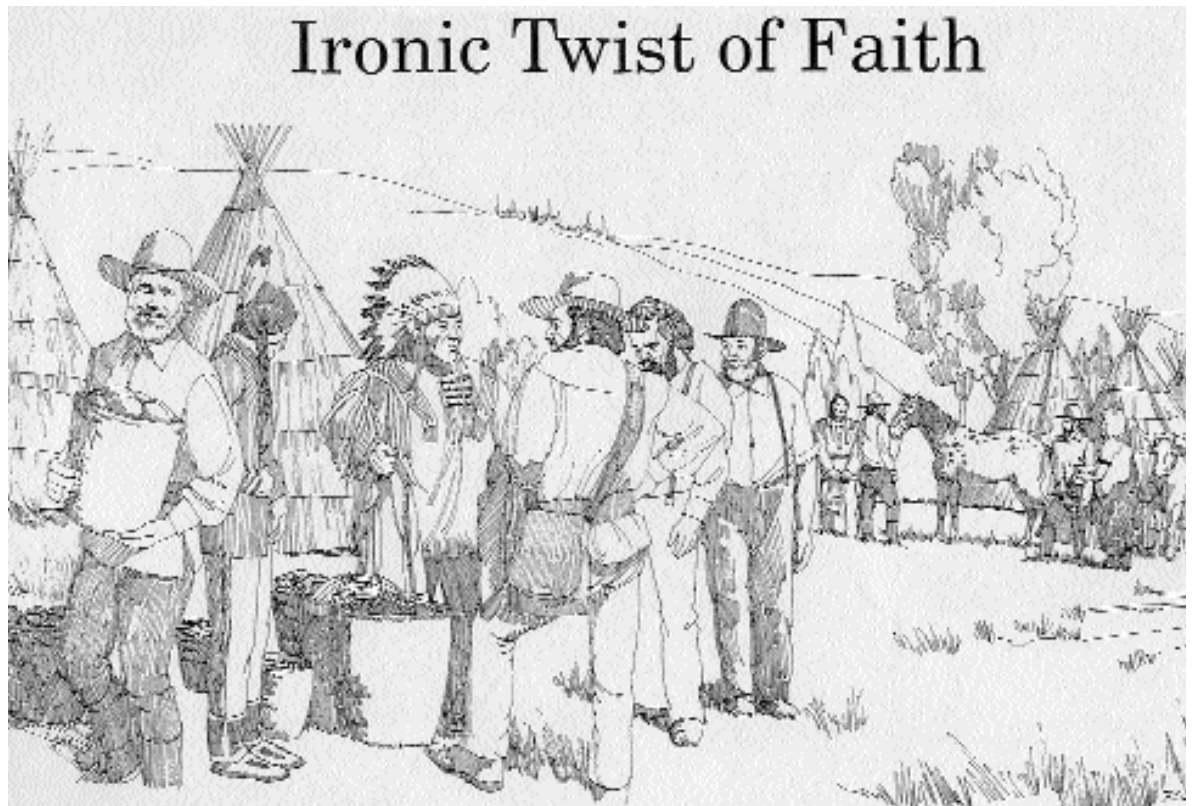
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# Trail Publications

*The following list is a selection from hundreds of books and journals which tell the stories of America's long-distance trails.*

Black, Patti Carr, 1985, *The Natchez Trace*, Jackson: University of Mississippi Press.

A beautifully illustrated travelogue and history of both the Parkway and the Trace.

Burch, William R., Jr., ed., 1979, *Long Distance Trails: The Appalachian Trail as a Guide to Future Research and Management Needs*, New Haven, CT: Yale University, School of Forestry and Environmental Studies.

The proceedings of a 1977 symposium outlining key issues for trail use and resource management.

Crutchfield, Jim, *Pictorial History of the Natchez Trace Parkway*, Nashville: Rutledge Hill Press (513 3rd Ave., S. Nashville, TN 37210, 615-244-2700).

DeVoto, Bernard, 1942, *Year of Decision, 1846*, (various publishers).

One of the best histories encompassing all mid-19th-century Western migration trails.

Draper, Lyman C., 1978, *Kings Mountain and Its Heroes*, Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc.

The definitive work on the battle between the American Patriot army and the American Loyalist army on King's Mountain in the fall of 1780.

Federal Writers' Project Staff & Writers Program WPA Staff, 1989 (Reprint of 1939 edition), *Oregon Trail: The Missouri River to the Pacific Ocean*, Irvine, CA: Reprint Services Corp.

Franzwa, Gregory, 1988, *Images of the Santa Fe Trail* (and other titles), Tucson: Patrice Press.

A variety of publications which outline both the history and current sites available to the public along this tri-cultural trail.

Haines, Aubrey L., 1987 (3rd ed.), *Historic Sites Along the Oregon Trail*, Tucson: Patrice Press.

Brief sketches of 394 historic sites along the Trail, with maps, photos and bibliography.

Harrell, Mary, ed, 1991, *Pathways to Discovery: Exploring America's National Trails*, Washington, DC: National Geographic Society.

Personal accounts and reflections on hiking along selected national recreation and national scenic trails; dazzling color photography.

Hill, William, E. 1986, *The California Trail, Yesterday & Today: A Pictorial Journey Along the California Trail*, Boulder, CO: Pruett Publishing Company.

A capsule history of the Trail using actual emigrant accounts of the journey, vintage illustrations, maps, and contemporary photographs.

Hill, William, 1989 (Second Printing), *The Oregon Trail, Yesterday and Today*, Caldwell, ID: Caxton Printers, Ltd.

A compendium of maps, guides, emigrant journals and diaries, old drawings, maps and photographs along with current illustrations.

Jacobs, Wilbur R., 1985, *Dispossessing the American Indian: Indians & Whites on the Colonial Frontier*, University of Oklahoma Press.

Kimball, Stanley B., 1988, *Historic Sites and Markers Along the Mormon and Other Great Western Trails*, Urbana: University of Illinois Press.

The best of its kind for the Mormon Pioneer Trail. Contains detailed directions on how to find trail sites, with numerous maps.

Lavender, David S., 1988, *The Way to the Western Sea: Lewis and Clark Across the Continent* (hardcover), New York: HarperCollins and 1990 paperback, New York: Doubleday.

The standard one-volume narrative of the Expedition of the Corps of Discovery.

1981, *The Overland Migrations*, St. Louis: Jefferson National Expansion Historical Association.

Good general overview of all the westward migration trails.

1992, *Let Me Be Free From Where the Sun Now Stands: the Nez Perce Tragedy*, New York: HarperCollins.

Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation, Inc., *We Proceeded On*, a quarterly.

This is the official newsletter of the Foundation, with notices of upcoming events and more lengthy articles which explore a wide variety of historical issues associated with Lewis and Clark.

MacKaye, Benton, 1928, *The New Exploration: A Philosophy of Regional Planning*, Harpers Ferry, WV: Appalachian Trail Conference.

Reprint of landmark work by AT's founder with illustrations of the trail as an example of his philosophy in action, plus maps he drew.

Mattes, Merrill J., 1987, *The Great Platte River Road: The Covered Wagon Mainline Via Fort Kearney and Fort Laramie*, Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press.

A masterpiece which integrates all the trail stories across the Great Plains in Nebraska.

Miller, Arthur and Marjorie, 1996, *Trails Across America*, Boulder: Fulcrum Press.

This recent travelogue profiles 19 national scenic and historic trails, highlighting sections open to public uses, and providing background stories and leadership profiles of important trail leaders.

Oregon-California Trails Association, *Overland Journal*

This quarterly provides in-depth, scholarly, often well-illustrated accounts of pioneers, trail branches, and many aspects of the western migration.

Reuss, Henry S., 1990, *On the Trail of the Ice Age, A Guide to Wisconsin's Ice Age National Reserve and Trail for Hikers, Bikers, and Motorists*, Sheboygan, WI: Ice Age Park and Trail Foundation, Inc.

An illustrated history of the Trail and its surrounding area, with geology, ecology, and directions and maps for hiking.

Riley, Frank, 1976, *De Anza's Trail Today*, Los Angeles: WorldWay Publishing Company.

A comprehensive inventory of 20th-century remnants of this trail route.

Stegner, Wallace, 1992, *The Gathering of Zion: The Story of the Mormon Trail*, University of Nebraska Press.

A well-written moving account of this important migration which opened up the Salt Lake Basin for settlement.

Trapp, Suzanne; Gross, Michael and Zimmerman, Ron, [no date], *Signs, Trails, and Wayside Exhibits: Connecting People and Places*, Stevens Point, WI: UW-SP Foundation Press, Inc.

A practical, well-illustrated guide to trail signs and information systems for professional and student interpreters.

Visscher, William, L. (reprint of 1908 ed.), *The Pony Express: A Thrilling and Truthful History*, Dillon, CO: Vistabooks.

Waterman, Laura and Guy, Forest and Craig, *A History of Hiking, Trail Blazing, and Adventure in the Northeast Mountains*, Boston: Appalachian Mountain Club.

A definitive 926-page social and environmental history of the Northeast mountains and outdoors clubs in the region.

Wilfong, Cheryl, 1990, *Following the Nez Perce Trail*, Corvallis: Oregon State University Press.

The best and most recent book about the Trail's history and route.



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